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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

' Applicants: Di Cesare et al.

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Docket No.: D-43072-01

Title: THERMOFORMABLE MULTI-LAYER POLYPROPYLENE FOAM

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2003 in the above-captioned application. Reexamination and allowance of the claims are respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

Enclosed herewith is a petition for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the Office Action.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.